

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE PATENT APPLICATION OF:

CONFIRMATION NO. 1543

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APPLICATION NO.: 10/653,039

EXAMINER: LERNER, M.

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ART UNIT: 2929

TITLE: QUERY ENGINE FOR PROCESSING VOICE BASED QUERIES  
INCLUDING SEMANTIC DECODING

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT  
Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed August 21, 2009, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendments and remarks.

Additionally, Applicant respectfully petitions under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a one-month extension of time, extending the due date for reply to December 21, 2009. The large-entity fee for this extension is authorized to be charged in the accompanying papers.